

# CANDIDATE'S REPORT

(to be filed by a candidate or his principal campaign committee)

1. Qualifying Name and Address of Candidate

CRAIG TAFFARO  
3225 Coulon Dr.  
Meraux, LA 70075

2. Office Sought (Include title of office as well)

Parish President  
St. Bernard  
parish wide

OFFICE USE ONLY

Report Number: 35540

Date Filed: 2/15/2013

Report Includes Schedules:

Schedule A-1  
Schedule A-3  
Schedule B  
Schedule E-1

3. Date of Primary 10/22/2011

This report covers from 12/20/2011 through 12/31/2012

4. Type of Report:

<input type="checkbox"/> 180th day prior to primary	<input type="checkbox"/> 40th day after general
<input type="checkbox"/> 90th day prior to primary	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annual (future election)
<input type="checkbox"/> 30th day prior to primary	<input type="checkbox"/> Supplemental (past election)
<input type="checkbox"/> 10th day prior to primary	
<input type="checkbox"/> 10th day prior to general	<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment to prior report

5. FINAL REPORT if:

☐ Withdrawn ☐ Filed after the election AND all loans and debts paid  
☐ Unopposed

6. Name and Address of Financial Institution  
(You are required by law to use one or more banks, savings and loan associations, or money market mutual fund as the depository of all

7. Full Name and Address of Treasurer

9. Name of Person Preparing Report

Daytime Telephone

10. WE HEREBY CERTIFY that the information contained in this report and the attached schedules is true and correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief, and that no expenditures have been made nor contributions received that have not been reported herein, and that no information required to be reported by the Louisiana Campaign Finance Disclosure

This 15th day of February, 2013.

Craig Taffaro Jr.

Signature of Candidate/Chairperson  
(To be signed by Chairperson *only* if report by principal campaign committee)

504-339-9188

Daytime Telephone

Signature of Treasurer

Daytime Telephone

8. FOR PRINCIPAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEES ONLY

a. Name and address of principal campaign committee, committee's chairperson, and subsidiary committees, if any (use additional sheets if necessary).

## SUMMARY PAGE

RECEIPTS	This Period
1. Contributions (Schedule A-1)	\$ 300.00
2. In-kind Contributions (Schedule A-2)	\$ 0.00
3. Campaign paraphernalia sales of \$25 or less	\$ 0.00
4. <b>TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS</b> (Lines 1 + 2 +3)	\$ 300.00
5. Other Receipts (Schedule A-3)	\$ 1,634.38
6. Loans Received (Schedule B)	\$ 3,000.00
7. Loan Repayments Received (Schedule D)	\$ 0.00
8. <b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b> (Lines 4 + 5 + 6 + 7)	\$ 4,934.38

DISBURSEMENTS	This Period
9. Expenditures (Schedule E-1)	\$ 5,433.89
10. Other Disbursements (Schedule E-2)	\$ 0.00
11. Loan Repayments Made (Schedule B)	\$ 0.00
12. Funds Loaned (Schedule D)	\$ 0.00
13. <b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b> (Lines 9 + 10 + 11 + 12)	\$ 5,433.89

FINANCIAL SUMMARY	Amount
14. Funds on hand at beginning of reporting period (Must equal funds on hand at close from last report or -0- if first report for this election)	\$-64,499.21
15. <i>Plus</i> total receipts this period (Line 8 above)	\$ 4,934.38
16. <i>Less</i> total disbursements this period (Line 13 above)	\$ 5,433.89
17. <i>Less</i> in-kind contributions (Line 2 above)	\$ 0.00
18. Funds on hand at close of reporting period	\$-64,998.72

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INVESTMENTS	Amount
19. Of funds on hand at beginning of reporting period (Line 14, above), amount held in investments (i.e., savings accounts, CD's, money market funds, etc.)	\$ 0.00
20. Of funds on hand at close of reporting period (Line 18, above), amount held in investments	\$ 0.00

FINANCIAL SUMMARY	Amount
21. Candidate's personal funds (Use of personal funds as either a contribution or loan to the campaign should be reported on Schedules A-1 or B.)	\$ 0.00
22. Contributions received from political committees (From Schedules A-1 and A-2)	\$ 0.00
23. All proceeds from the sale of tickets to fundraising events (Receipts from the sale of tickets are contributions and must also be reported on Schedule A-1.)	\$ 0.00
24. Proceeds from the sale of campaign paraphernalia (Receipts from the sale of campaign paraphernalia are contributions and must also be reported on Schedule A-1 or Line 3, above.)	\$ 0.00
25. Expenditures from petty cash fund (Must also be reported on Schedule E-1.)	\$ 0.00

NOTICE
<p>The personal use of campaign funds is prohibited.* The use of campaign funds must be related to a political campaign or the holding of a public office or party position. However, campaign funds may be used to reimburse a candidate for expenses related to his campaign or office, to pay taxes on the interest earned on campaign funds or to replace articles lost, stolen, or damaged in connection with a campaign.</p> <p>Excess campaign funds may be returned to contributors on a pro rata basis, given as a charitable contribution as provided in 26 USC 170(c), given to a charitable organization as defined in 26 USC 501(c)(3), expended in support of or opposition to a proposition, political party, or candidacy of any person, or maintained in a segregated fund for use in future political campaigns or activity related to preparing for future candidacy to elective office.</p> <p>*The prohibition on the personal use of campaign funds does not apply to campaign funds received prior to July 15,</p>

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## SCHEDULE A-1: CONTRIBUTIONS (Other than In-Kind Contributions)

The following information must be provided for all contributors to your campaign during this reporting period, except for in-kind contributions. Information on in-kind contributions is reported on SCHEDULE A-2: IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS. In Column 1, check if the contributor is a political committee or a party committee. Any personal funds a candidate contributes to his campaign must be reported on this schedule. Personal funds a candidate *loans* to his campaign should be reported on Schedule B. For anonymous contributions, see SCHEDULE F. Totals and subtotals are *optional*. Completion of totals and subtotals may assist in calculating totals that must be reported on the Summary Page.

1. Name and Address of Contributor	2. Contributions this Reporting Period		3. Total this Election
	a. Date(s)	b. Amount(s)	
TAMMY FETZER 3663 Nasa Pkwy Seabrook, TX 77586  POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> PARTY COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/>	10/17/2012	\$300.00	\$300.00
4. SUBTOTAL (this page)		\$300.00	N/A
5. TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule)		\$ 300.00	N/A
6. CONTRIBUTIONS FROM POLITICAL COMMITTEES:			
SUBTOTAL (this page)		\$0.00	TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule)
			\$ 0.00

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## SCHEDULE A-3: OTHER RECEIPTS

This schedule is used to report those receipts that are not "contributions"; that is, monies paid to the campaign that are not given for the purpose of supporting, opposing or otherwise influencing the nomination or election of a candidate to public office. Examples include interest or investment income. Receipts should be reported on this schedule only if they have not been reported elsewhere in this report. The explanation of the receipt should state the reason the payment was made to the campaign.

1. Name and Address of Source	2. Date(s)	3. Explanation(s)	4. Amount(s)
MELE PRINTING 619 Tyler St Covington, LA 70433	01/20/2012	reimbursement on account	\$1,634.38
5. Total OTHER RECEIPTS during this reporting period			\$ 1,634.38

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## SCHEDULE B: LOANS RECEIVED

The following information must be provided for each loan or line of credit received this reporting period, even if it has been repaid. Also, complete this schedule for loans received in prior periods that are still outstanding. Separate loans must be reported separately, even if from the same source. Any personal funds a candidate loans to his campaign must be reported on this schedule.

1. Name and address of lender DEBBIE TAFFARO 3225 Coulon Dr. Meraux, LA 70075	2. a. Date* <u>5/21/2012</u> b. Interest rate <u>0.00</u> %(a.p.r.) c. Amount borrowed* ..... \$ <u>3,000.00</u> d. Balance due ..... \$ <u>3,000.00</u>  *For lines of credit, give the date the line of credit was first committed at Item 2a and list only the amount actually drawn at Item 2c. OPTIONAL: Total amount of credit available \$ _____						
3. Endorsers/Guarantors	4. Repayments this period <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 30%; text-align: center;">Date</th> <th style="width: 35%; text-align: center;">Principal</th> <th style="width: 35%; text-align: center;">Interest</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="height: 30px;"></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Date	Principal	Interest			
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(Enter the full name and address of each person or entity that has endorsed, guaranteed or otherwise secured the loan or line of credit.	(List payments of principal and interest separately. If separate amounts are not known, list all payments under principal. )						

## SCHEDULE E-1: EXPENDITURES

Use this schedule to report information on all campaign expenditures for this reporting period. An "expenditure" is any payment made for the purpose of supporting your election to public office and includes monies spent for the campaign's general operating expenses. Any payments made that are not "expenditures" should be reported on SCHEDULE E-2: OTHER DISBURSEMENTS. Totals and subtotals at bottom of page are *optional*. Completion of totals and subtotals may assist in calculating totals that must be reported on the Summary Page.

1. Name and Address of Recipient	2. Expenditures this Reporting Period		
	a. Date(s)	b. Purpose(s)	c. Amount(s)
AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY St. Bernard Relay for Life 8201 W Judge Perez Dr, LA 70043	05/19/2012	donation	\$ 100.00
CANDICE CRAIG 10049 N Reiger Rd Baton Rouge, LA 70809	12/20/2012	state office meeting supplies	\$ 49.05
CHALMETTE HARDWARE E Judge Perez Dr Chalmette, LA 70043	05/28/2012	materials for church youth softball field	\$ 69.69
HENRY KLEIN 844 Baronne New Orleans, LA	05/18/2012	legal research and consultation	\$ 3,750.00
OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH Colonial Blvd Violet, LA 70092	12/31/2012	donation	\$ 260.00
CINDY PERE 2021 Lakeshore Dr New Orleans, LA 70122	05/09/2012	notary fees	\$ 30.00
TODD'S TECHNOLOGY 3001 Paris Road Chalmette, LA 70043	12/30/2012	internet service	\$ 163.49
GLYNNA TORTORICH 10049 N Reiger Rd Baton Rouge, LA 70809	12/21/2012	state office meeting supplies	\$ 11.66
3. SUBTOTAL (optional)			\$4,433.89
4. TOTAL (optional - complete only on last page of this schedule)			

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1. Name and Address of Recipient	2. Expenditures this Reporting Period		
	a. Date(s)	b. Purpose(s)	c. Amount(s)
KNIGHTS OF NEMESIS PO Box 291 Arabi, LA 70032	02/04/2012	non-profit organization sponsor	\$ 1,000.00
3. SUBTOTAL (optional)			\$1,000.00
4. TOTAL (optional - complete only on last page of this schedule)			\$ 5,433.89

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